



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Hugo DE VRIES, et al. Conf. No.: 6854
Application No.: 10/522,795 Examiner: Michael David DENNIS
Filing Date: August 8, 2005 Art Unit: 3711
Title: METHOD FOR LAYING A PASSABLE SURFACE, FOR INSTANCE
A PLAYING GROUND, AND SURFACE THUS FORMED
Atty. Dkt. No.: 5100-000011/US

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May 20, 2010

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 20, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2,

Remarks begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

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